

## Message Text

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TO AMEMBASSY DAMASCUS PRIORITY

C O N F I D E N T I A L STATE 184631

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: ET, US, MARR

SUBJECT: MEETING WITH ERITREAN REPRESENTATIVE

REF: DAMASCUS 4891

EMBASSY IS AUTHORIZED TO INFORM SARG OF UNOFFICIAL MEETING WITH OSMAN ;ALA; SABBE ON AUG 1 WHICH WAS ARRANGED AT HIS REQUEST. YOU MAY ADD THAT MEETING PROVIDED US AN OPPORTUNITY TO HEAR ERITREAN POINT OF VIEW AND THAT IN REPLY WE REPEATED STANDARD POSITION THAT OUR INVOLVEMENT WOULD NOT HELP RESOLVE THE CONFLICT. CHRISTOPHER

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## Message Attributes

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